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(SBU) EmbOffs delivered reftel demarche to Foreign Ministry officials August 25. Frits van Bruggen, Senior Policy Officer for West Africa, said that Dutch Minister for Development Cooperation Bert Koenders will visit Liberia September 5-6. He plans to attend the September 5 Development Ministers Meeting and make a field visit on September 6. Van Bruggen said the Dutch Ambassador to Senegal, also accredited to Liberia, will accompany Koenders.

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